

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Case No. 99-849-A)

PATENT

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In the Application of:

Odile Leroy

Serial No.: 09/423,698

Filing Date: February 10, 2000

For: Multivalent Vaccine Composition
With Mixed Carrier

Examiner: Duffy, P.A.

Group Art Unit: 1645

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
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Dear Sir:

In regard to the above identified application,

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:
 - a) Response to the Office Action mailed February 18, 2004;
2. With respect to fees:
 - a) A fee is not required at this time.
 - b) Please charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account, No. 13-2490.
3. CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the paper, as described in paragraph 1, are being transmitted via facsimile (703-872-9306) to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on April 19, 2004.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: April 19, 2004


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RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION MAILED FEBRUARY 18, 2004

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed February 18, 2004, the Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following remarks, starting on page 7 of this response.

The Applicant presumes Applicant's revised amendment to claims, filed November 25, 2003, in response to the Office's Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed November 12, 2003, has been entered.

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